When I first heard that XM might lose the ability to broadcast my local traffic and weather I thought it must be a hoax. Then I check on line to find out this is true.

I can not figure out why this would happen.

In my car there appears to be a problem with my am/fm radio.

Instead of going through the hassle of finding the problem with my existing unit I had XM installed in the car.

Without XM I have no source for weather or traffic conditions in the car, and that can be a problem in the NJ/NY area.

Now it the NAB would like to fix my existing AM/FM radio free of charge I might not be so upset.

But what are the chances?

Also, at my vacation home in the catskills there is only 1 weak local station that does not broadcast alot of news, weather or sports. The only option up there is XM radio.